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Response to Office Action

Honorable Assistant Commissioner:

Applicant received an office action with a mailing date of 8/27/2002 with one month permitted for response. This document is intended to be fully responsive thereto.

Election of Species

Applicant elects the "first (1st) embodiment of a semiconductor light source using a high power chip or array arrangement detailed in figure 1".

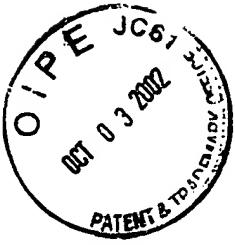
Below, Applicant attempts to list claims readable on the elected species. However, since the claims are directed to a method, Applicant is having difficult with respect to reading the method steps on Figure 1 which depicts a physical device. Further, Figure 1 is not of sufficient detail to show each and every feature of the device(s) represented by it.

Applicant believes that claims 1-16 and 18-20 read on the elected species.

Respectfully submitted this 27th day of September, 2002.



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Honorable Assistant Commissioner:

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